

Remarks

In paragraph 2 of the Office action, the Examiner objected to Claim 1 as being anticipated by US Patent Number 6,200,065 issued to Eitzen. The applicant has submitted new claims 2 through 14 that claim features not disclosed in the patent issued to Eitzen. Applicant believes that new claims 2-14 are in a condition for allowance.

Reexamination and reconsideration are requested.

No new matter has been added by this amendment

It is believed, in view of the amendments and remarks herein, that all grounds of objection have been addressed and overcome, and that all claims are in condition for allowance. If it would further the prosecution of the application, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned attorney at the phone number provided.

Respectfully submitted,



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